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Title : INHIBITION OF HAIR GROWTH

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, DC 20231

## **AMENDMENT**

Responsive to the Examiner's action mailed October 6, 1998, please amend the application, as follows:

In the claims:

## Amend claim 1 to read as follows:

--1. (Twice Amended) A method of reducing [mammalian] human androgen-stimulated hair growth which comprises

selecting an area of skin on a human from which reduced androgen-stimulated hair growth is desired; and

applying to said area of skin a dermatologically acceptable composition comprising a non-steroidal suppressor of angiogenesis in an amount effective to reduce <a href="mailto:androgen-stimulated">androgen-stimulated</a> hair growth.--

Cancel claim 27, without prejudice.

—In claim 28, line 1, replace "27" with --1--.

Amend claim 42 to read as follows:

(Twice Amended) A method of reducing human

androgen-stimulated [mammalian] hair growth which comprises

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